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RECLAMATION BILL UP TO GOVERNOR!

FOURTH SERIES BRYAN BUILDING AND LOAN STOCK WILL BE ISSUED

After Lengthy Discussion Directors Deem Best to Offer Fourth Series in April—Approved Loans of \$7,500 Requested and Talked Over Plans for the Future.

At the regular meeting of the directors of the Bryan Building and Loan Association, held Thursday afternoon, January 25, at the office of the Chamber of Commerce, it was decided, after a discussion, to issue the fourth series of stock in the association in a short time, definite announcement as to the plans will be made later. This stock, according to Secretary S. E. Eberstadt, will be open for sale during the month of April. Loans of \$7,500 were approved by the board of directors. The session was called to order by President W. H. Cole at 4 o'clock and adjourned about dark, having discussed many matters for the future benefit of the association. The directors present were: W. H. Cole, W. S. Higgs, Wilson Bradley, Robert Armstrong, F. L. Henderson, A. H. Leidigh, H. O. Boatwright, W. S. Barron and J. B. Bagley were out of the city and unable to attend. Secretary Eberstadt of the association sat at the desk with the president.

HOT LUNCH OF SCHOOL CHILDREN BIG SUCCESS

Edge, Texas, Jan. 30.—I take this pleasure in writing this about our HOT LUNCH, having been asked to do so, because I can see such good results already from the lunch in the Edge School. Our plan is very simple. Any school can carry it out as we do. The way we handle it we are enabled to give the lunch to the pupils for one cent a day. Our Merchants co-operate by selling at a good discount. The parents contribute in many ways. For instance, when we have soup, some one who has recently killed hogs, furnishes the fresh bones for it. When we serve potatoes, someone furnishes the butter, etc. When we serve chocolate, the milk is sent in by the mothers. In fact, we have milk and other things sent in every day. Even a part of the tomatoes for the tomato soup is given. By this means we are enabled to serve a very splendid lunch for a penny.

Four of the girls in the Home Economics class are assigned to the work for the day. They prepare and put on to cook before school each morning. Then do the seasoning and watching necessary between classes. In this way they do not lose time from their other work. The food is served to the children at their desks, three gallon boilers being used. A girl can handle a boiler this size and as our stove is a four burner we can cook more than one boiler at the time. We plan our menu in advance so no two days in the same week see the same kind of food served.

At first, some of the larger pupils were slow in taking advantage of the hot lunch. However, this soon passed. Now, practically every child in school eats the lunch and are very glad to get it. Many who before the hot lunch were not eating any kind of lunch hardly, now eat not only the hot lunch but their other lunch as well. This is showing in better school work, better playground activities, better interests in the entire school. Of course, there is some work attached to it but our pupils and teachers don't seem to mind. The boys help beautifully with the work they can do and the girls seem to take pride in their accomplishments in the good work. It seems from our experience that any school with any room at all to spare could secure a stove as we did, by funds from an entertainment, and buy the few pans, etc., necessary and serve the hot lunch. It is a great aid to better school work and general health and is worthy all the work and expense necessary for its doing. MRS. P. S. MANGUM, Home Economics Teacher.

W. M. Jericho and Fletcher Poole of Millican were here today and had business at the court house with County Tax Collector Roy Huds-peth, paying their taxes.

S. I. Dowling, J. H. Wade, R. Z. Dowling were among the out-of-town visitors here today from Wellborn.

Joe Kopecky of Benchley was trading in Bryan today.

DR. TRUETT, DALLAS, TO CONDUCT A RELIGIOUS INTEREST CAMPAIGN

(Special to the Eagle.)
COLLEGE STATION, Jan. 30.—Plans have been completed for the campaign for religious enthusiasm which will be conducted at the College February 7 to 11 inclusive by Dr. George W. Truett, pastor of the First Baptist church of Dallas. President W. B. Bizzell announced yesterday. Confirmation of his engagement at the College came in form of a telegram to President Bizzell last Saturday and a final meeting of campus pastors was held in President Bizzell's office yesterday to make final arrangements for the religious addresses by Dr. Truett and for his entertainment while here. The telegram from Dr. Truett was as follows: "I hope to reach you for evening services Wednesday, February 7 and remain through Sunday following. You will please advise the religious leaders there to make such plans as they may deem best. In all plans and efforts may the Master direct us all. Geo. W. Truett." On Wednesday and each evening thereafter through Saturday the services will begin at 6:45. There will be no conflict between this service and the musical program to be given in Guion hall on Wednesday. Dr. Truett will speak on Thursday and Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock, on Sunday morning at 10:50, Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Thus he will address the campus audience eight times during the period of his stay here.

ONE OF TWO NEGROES ARRESTED PROVES BE AN ESCAPED CONVICT

Jesse Parker, alias Fred Walls, one of the two negroes arrested in Bryan last week for riding a Southern Pacific train, has turned out to be Fred Walls, an escaped convict from the prison farm at Huntsville, sent up from Houston for five years for horse theft. Sheriff L. E. Morehead expects officers here to get him and take him back today or Wednesday.

EDGE WOMAN'S CLUB HAS GOOD MEETING

EDGE, Texas, Jan. 30.—The Woman's Home Demonstration Club of Edge met Wednesday afternoon, January 17, with twenty-two women present. Miss Laura Belle Roten, home demonstration agent, was present and gave a dress form demonstration. One was completed during a very short time with the help of a few women. After this was finished a sample wood box was shown the women, the original being shown on the "Agricultural Special" which passed through Bryan a short time ago. It was a labor-saving, easily made and attractive wood box and one which any woman would be glad to have in her kitchen.

The Poultry Committee, consisting of Mrs. Claude Moore, Mrs. Vernon Wilson and Mrs. Boggs, will have charge of the program next meeting and we expect to take up every feature of hatching and caring for baby chicks. Another pleasant feature of this meeting was the kitchen shower given by the Club to furnish the school kitchen. Almost every needed article was given, and the kitchen is now sufficiently equipped to carry on the hot lunch and the Home Economics cooking class. At the close of the meeting a refreshment course of chicken salad sandwiches and hot chocolate was served by the girls of the Home Economics class.

TERRACING IN BRAZOS CO. ATTRACTS ATTENTION THROUGHOUT THE STATE

The Owensboro Ditch & Grader Company, Owensboro, Ky., has sent a representative, R. T. Bandy, to Brazos county to observe the kind and quantity of terraces being built under the direction of County Agent C. L. Beason. Mr. Bandy has visited several farms, where terracing has been under way, and he speaks in the highest terms of the work the farmers of Brazos county are doing to save their lands. He will return in the near future to go out with County Agent Beason to see some of the demonstration work in terracing farm lands actually in progress.

WEST TEXAS COLLEGE BILL FINALLY PASSED BY THE STATE SENATE

(By Associated Press.)
AUSTIN, Jan. 29.—The Senate has passed finally the Bledsoe Bill providing for the establishment of a West Texas Technology College, after a two hour debate, by a vote of 24 to 5. The Senate also passed the Baugh Bill, prohibiting the carrying of pistols, or other firearms. Senator Joe Burkett of Eastland, introduced a measure proposing the placing of the State highway system of maintenance under the State Highway Department, to create an maintenance fund by an increase of the automobile tax.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY PARTY

One Monday afternoon from four to six o'clock Miss Lillie Mae Martinelli enjoyed a birthday celebration at the Methodist Mission in honor of her 13th birthday. Music and games were enjoyed and a delicious refreshment plate of fruit salad, crackers, ice tea, apples and ice cream was passed. Those present were: Frances Noto, Kate Palermo, Kate Louise Soares, Lena Scardino, Nettie Nedbalek, Christine Stanny, Bernice Martinelli, Pansy Soares and Clara Milberger.

COUNTY TRUSTEES ON NEEDS RURAL SCHOOLS

The county board of trustees had a most interesting session Saturday afternoon, January 27. Chairman John A. Moore presided, with Prof. Martin L. Hayes, W. L. Powers, Joe Lloyd and Charles Merka in attendance. The usual routine of business was attended to, the financial condition of the rural schools discussed, new plans of management were advanced, and all pledged their best efforts and co-operation to the new administration in putting the educational interests of the children of Brazos county on the safer and saner foundation.

(Special to the Eagle.)
AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 30.—The Rountree Reclamation Bill for \$600,000 passed the Senate finally today by a vote of 23 to 7. The bill was characterized in the debate in the Senate as the great constructive measure in Texas, all amendments were voted down.

GOV. NEFF'S MESSAGE
(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Jan. 30.—The enactment of laws which will encourage and assist in the construction of factories in Texas to enable the manufacture of cotton and wool, leather and hides from live stock and other products, was requested by Governor Neff in a message to the legislature today. Gov. Neff said further that the legislature should give assurance that investments would not be disturbed by radical legislation, and that labor's rights should be safeguarded. He suggested taxation legislation to encourage infant industries and said that constitutional amendments will be necessary. The Senate today passed the Rountree Reclamation Bill, carrying an appropriation of \$600,000 for topographic and hydrographic surveys in flood control work, by a vote of 23 to 7. It now goes to the governor for approval. The House appropriations committee today reported favorably the Quaid Deficiency measure, appropriating \$428,509 and the Melson Bill appropriating \$3,000,000 for a school fund.

PRESIDENT ANNOUNCED CHAIRMEN OF VARIOUS CHAMBER COMMITTEES

The most important business coming before the Bryan and Brazos County Chamber of Commerce this morning, when that organization met in regular session at ten o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce rooms, was the announcing of the chairmen of the various standing committees, appointed by the recently elected president, J. M. Gordon. They were as follows: Finance and Membership, M. L. Parker; Highway, D. L. Wilson; Entertainment, T. K. Lawrence; Agricultural, J. D. Martin; Trade Extension, Travis B. Bryan; City Development, J. N. Dulaney; Educational, Mayor Tyler Haswell; Legislative, Lee J. Rountree; Constitution, Major L. L. McInnis.

Dr. J. O. Morgan, Director
A letter from W. S. Barron, announcing his resignation as a director of the Chamber of Commerce was read by the Secretary, the resignation being regretfully accepted by the directors assembled and Dr. J. O. Morgan of College was unanimously elected to fill the vacancy created.

A communication from A. Slovacek was read, requesting the use of the band instruments, owned by the Chamber of Commerce, for the Junior Band. Prof. N. B. Allen of Allen Academy was present, having previously talked with different members of the organization including the president, and also requested the use of the instruments. The Allen Academy band has always been ready and willing to extend their services to the Chamber of Commerce in the past, free of charge, and because the Chamber was desirous of assisting them; because the Allen Academy was ready to put up a bond on the instruments to cover their return in good shape, would keep up the insurance and take good care of them, it was decided to refer the matter to the City Development Committee with power to act and that the secretary be instructed to notify Mr. Slovacek by letter that the instruments had been loaned to the Allen Academy.

"Buy at Home" Bread
J. L. Powers of the Texas Bakery was present at this meeting and, on behalf of the Bryan bakeries, made a plea for "Buy at Home." He spoke of the great amount of out-of-town bread sold here and purchased by Bryan people. It was decided to refer the matter to the City Development Committee. Secretary S. E. Eberstadt reported that 13 people had been procured light housekeeping rooms here the past week; 8 solicitors had been turned down and also two advertising men—all through the Chamber of Commerce. Those present at this morning's meeting were: Wilson Bradley, Travis B. Bryan, W. H. Cole, J. N. Dulaney, E. J. Fountain, J. M. Gordon, Mayor Tyler Haswell, M. L. Parker, John M. Lawrence, J. D. Martin, Oak McKenzie, E. E. McAdams, Major L. L. McInnis, A. M. Waldrop, M. E. Wallace, R. S. Webb, D. L. Wilson, C. L. Beason, J. L. Powers, Prof. N. B. Allen, E. H. Astin and Harold D. Cuykendall, the latter representing the Bryan Daily Eagle. New members were announced as follows: Mrs. J. W. Batte and Kauffman's Cafe.

JOHN H. McCULLOUGH PIONEER CITIZEN OF BRAZOS COUNTY DEAD

John H. McCullough, aged 63 years, one of Brazos county's most estimable and honored citizens, passed away at his home in the Steep Hollow community, Tuesday morning, January 30th at 6:30 o'clock. Mr. McCullough has been, in failing health for nearly a year, but has only been seriously ill for two weeks. His passing takes from his home community, his county and state, a man who stood four-square for right and righteousness, and who has made the world better for his having lived.

John Howell McCullough was born in Harris county, Texas, December 7, 1859. His father, William McCullough, formerly a professor in Princeton University, was a man of unusual culture and intellect, and his mother, a gentle woman of southern birth. The home environment which was his in early youth, moulded firmly his character, and made him a man among men, a noble husband and father, a progressive and honorable citizen. Deceased has lived in Brazos county for more than fifty years. He was by calling a farmer and stock raiser, but was called by the people of Brazos county to serve as tax assessor for several terms, during which time he made his home in Bryan. He is survived by his wife, two daughters Mrs. G. E. Madeley of Bryan and Miss Myrtle McCullough of Corsicana, and six sons, Cyrus McCullough of Tulsa, Texas, Oran McCullough of Wichita Falls, Welly McCullough of Wheelock, Louis, Jack and Wilmer McCullough of Bryan, and one sister, Mrs. Eleanor Whittington of San Angelo, all of whom were at his bedside when death came. The funeral will be conducted from his late residence on Wednesday morning at ten o'clock, with interment at Old Bethel cemetery. Services will be conducted by Rev. J. M. Bullock, assisted by Dr. M. E. Weaver of Weatherford. The pallbearers named are: I. M. Cook, Will Jones, E. W. Crenshaw, John M. Lawrence, J. Webb Howell and C. S. Jones.

REV. TATUM HOME AGAIN

Rev. J. J. Tatum returned this morning from a ten days' stay in North Texas, where he has been in the interest of the Free Baptist church. Sunday January 14th he preached at Springtown, Parker county and Sunday, January 28th he filled the Free Baptist pulpit at Hillsboro. Rev. Tatum took his promised wolf hunt while away. One wolf was killed but Rev. Tatum is not telling who captured him. Rev. Tatum, with every other person that makes the trip from Benchley to Bryan reports the roads in that part of Brazos county almost impassable. As a result of getting over them he broke the spring of his car, wrapped the crank around the axle and a few other mishaps. Something ought to be done about these roads.

THE B. Y. P. U. TRAINING CLASS OPENED MONDAY

The B. Y. P. U. training school opened at the First Baptist church in this city on Monday night according to announcement. Despite the rain and threatening weather about eight people were present, and the initial meeting was a great success. Four classes are being taught: The Junior B. Y. P. U. Manual, at 4 p. m., with Miss Lucile Sprecker of Dallas as teacher. At 6:30 p. m. the main session opens with three classes, "B. Y. P. U. Manual," taught by A. J. Carson of Dallas, "Training in Bible Study," Dr. Jno. A. Held, teachers; "Training for Service," Mrs. A. B. McSwain and Miss Sprecker, teachers. The classes consume 45 minutes, and between classes a recreation and lunch hour is enjoyed. Refreshments are being served each evening by the women of the church and a delightful time is enjoyed. Any young people in the city, who care to come and take part in these study classes will be cordially welcomed. The training course will continue, each night through this week.

BRYAN HAS PEACHES ALMOST HALF GROWN

Justice-of-the-Peace J. W. Hamilton brought to the Eagle office this morning a sprig from a peach tree which had on it three peaches, one almost half grown, another a size smaller and still another just from the bloom. This sprig was pulled from a tree in the Eastern part of town and is a sample of what can be found on many trees in that neighborhood. Many agree they have never seen fruit this size in this part of Texas so early before. The mild winter has brought about these conditions.

W. H. Melton of Wheelock was in town today.

EVIDENCE FOUND CONNECTS NEGRO WITH MURDER OF GRADY SKIPWORTH

Arrested for Murder of Holt, Black Will Probably Face Trial for Murder of Three men During Last Eight Months—Third Negro Arrested—Held on Suspicion.

(By Associated Press)
WACO, Texas, Jan. 31.—County Attorney Farmer was expected to dismiss the charges against Miss Naomi Boucher, and brothers Horace and Bernard today, and to file a complaint charging Roy Mitchell, negro, with the murder of Grady Skipworth last November. Mitchell is also charged with the murder of W. E. Holt. The action is expected as a result of the alleged finding of evidence connecting the negro with the Skipworth case. Officers said that evidence had also been obtained indicating that Mitchell was the slayer of W. P. Driskell in a garage here last May.

THIRD NEGRO HELD ON SUSPICION OF COMPLICITY

(Special to the Bryan Eagle.)
A watch charm of peculiar design, said to have been worn by Grady Skipworth on the night he was murdered last November in Cameron Park, near Lover's Leap, and which has been missed for some time, was found yesterday in the home of Roy Mitchell, negro, who was arrested for the murder of W. E. Holt. The identification of the bauble was completed today by Miss Georgia Skipworth, sister of the deceased. It is a green dice with numbers on it and holes in it which were drilled by Grady Skipworth and his brother, Walter. Mitchell, and his brother-in-law, Arthur Postale, have been taken out of town by Sheriff Steagall to prevent any attempt at mob action. A third negro is being held in the jail as a suspect in the murders.

GRAND JURY WILL BE EMpaneled IN MARCH

At the request of Sheriff Stegall, Judge Munroe has decided to wait until the March term to empanel a grand jury upon the cases of Roy Mitchell and Arthur Postale, negroes. The county attorney has filed a motion asking for a dismissal of the complaints against the Bouchers. He said that he was convinced Mitchell had also killed Grady Skipworth.

BIG FIGHT ON TAXES STAGED BEFORE THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE

(By S. Raymond Brooks of Austin American Staff.)

Austin, Texas, Jan. 31.—The lower house of the legislature will deal with revenue-raising questions during the coming week—income, severance, amusement, soft drinks, gross production, intangible taxes. The senate will probably have as its predominant subjects, the house resolutions which deal with the spending of tax money. Investigation of free text book contracts, a bill to abrogate and prevent fulfillment of new textbook adoptions, will be before the upper house this week. Disposing of more tax money will be considered in the senate. The Rountree of Brazos appropriation measure for reclamation work, and the Cousins senate bill for appropriation of \$3,000,000 to schools for the present year, will also be reached on the senate calendar during the week, it is expected.

Fight On Coffee Bill

The house has passed its flock of investigation resolutions—to investigate the textbook commission's work, to investigate for location of a prison headquarters site, to investigate ownership of Texas refineries and gasoline prices, to look into the question of an over supply of state employees in departments. These matters will be passed along for senate consideration this week, and it is believed likely that the house will probably, along with its large number of local and special bills, begin in earnest upon the group of taxation measures, several of which have been reported by its committee.

The spectacular tax battle of the session is expected, not over severance or intangible taxation, not upon income tax, nor soda water or amusement levels, but upon the Coffee bill to double the gross pro-

ALL LEGISLATORS AND FAMILIES ENTERTAINED BY GOV. NEFF AND WIFE

(By Associated Press.)

AUSTIN, Jan. 31.—Probably the most important social event of the legislative session will take place tomorrow night when Governor and Mrs. Neff will entertain all the legislators, their wives and families at the governor's mansion. The reception is a biennial affair in honor of the solons. Both branches of the legislature, after receiving a brief message from the chief executive announcing the reception, passed resolutions accepting the invitation.

MR. FARMER DO YOU WANT TO PAY YOUR DEBTS

If so, plant Truitt cotton seed. I have a few tons left at the Bryan Oil Mill, at \$70 a ton, \$4 per hundred pounds. Pure seed and the earliest. Makes better and brings most money. Cotton buyers hunt you if you have Truitt cotton. SAM E. CAVITT.

The many friends of Miss Jewel Brown, the thirteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown of this city, will be glad to learn that her condition is reported slightly improved today after a serious illness of nearly three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wood and family, who for the past year have occupied an apartment at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cox, corner of 24th street and Parker avenue, have rented the Chatham cottage on South Bryan street and moved into same today.

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LARGE CROWD WELL ENTERTAINED KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS OPEN HOUSE

The entertainment room at the Knights of Pythias Hall was comfortably well-filled Tuesday night when the order staged an open house night with a program and refreshments. Invitations had been issued and the people gathered about eight o'clock. George E. Hadley welcomed the guests, after which Mr. John Bonner, member of the order and former resident of this city but who now lives in Houston, was called upon and gave a brief summary of the history of the organization of the lodge, explaining, incidentally, why women could not join. Then the entertainment for the evening was turned over to the Rotarians under president M. E. Wallace. They put on the usual good-time with songs and "performances," among other things selecting from among the Rotarians present, the homeliest and prettiest man, the children making the nominations and the audience voting. The child making the correct nomination was in each case given a box of candy. Propriety forbids our printing the decisions as the nominations were so closely contested. Closing the entertainment refreshments of sandwiches and coffee were furnished gratis by the Kaufman Cafe. Everyone present voiced their appreciation of the evening's entertainment and members of the Knights of Pythias and the Rotarians for the happy evening spent.

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One month	\$.75
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Six months	4.00
One year	7.50

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FOR TEXAS RECLAMATION

(Austin American)

Homer D. Wade of the west Texas chamber of commerce has been here since the opening of the session, and he may be happy yet. Be it known, that the West Texas chamber of commerce has been in behind reclamation and conservation projects or movements since the association was organized five years ago. All the towns of West Texas are members of this chamber of commerce and many of the most progressive spirits of the west are on its roll of membership. Monday the Rountree reclamation bill for \$600,000 ran the gauntlet of its enemies on its final passage journey in the lower house, and Wade and his fellow reclamationists were deeply grateful to the lawmakers and more than gratified that this early in the session, this constructive bill had run the gamut of opposition and was ready for senatorial action.

There are millions of acres of arid and semi-arid lands in the west. All these may be reclaimed by the storage of flood waters, and with the building of necessary reservoirs in the upper country and the damming of the rivers in the lower country, also for conservation and reclamation purposes, overflow of valley lands and lowlands would be made impossible according to the engineers of the state.

MISGUIDED PATRIOTISM

Senators Dudley of El Paso and Davis of Dallas want the governor to call special sessions for consideration of his constructive measures. Since there are sixteen of them that would mean about sixteen extra sessions of the legislature in one term. Considering the intense dislike of members to serve at \$2 per day, it is astonishing that they offer themselves as candidates in the primaries and make such huge promises.—Major Henry E. Ellis in Denison Herald.

Major Ellis knows or ought to know that the old constitution of Texas makes it impossible to transact the great amount of business now on the docket at Austin. It is time to discuss seriously the grave problems and not deal in quantities, Major Ellis. Let us reason together on a constructive program for all Texas.

PROGRESSIVE DEMOCRACY.

Members of the lower house of the Texas legislature sent to final passage the reclamation and conservation bill. They are prepared to send to final passage a joint resolution submitting an amendment to the people in 1924 calling for a constitutional convention. Constructive legislation was declared for by the San Antonio convention and constructive legislation is the recommendation made by the governor. These lawmakers of the lower house appear to be on the way.—Waco News-Tribune.

Home merchants pay taxes. No taxes are paid in McKinney or Collins county by Sears, Roebuck & Company, and other foreign houses. Stand by and give your patronage to your home merchants. If you take the roof off your houses, it will leak. If you boycott and do not patronize your home merchants they will be forced to go out of business. Then your schools, your churches, all public institutions will suffer. These foreign houses won't help you any. They are catching the dollars; they do not pitch any to you. Put on your thinking cap and let this matter have your most serious consideration.—McKinney Courier-Gazette.

Favorable report by the Commerce, and Manufacturers Committee on the Carpenter of Dallas bill to establish a textile engineering school brought President Bizzell of the A. and M. College to Austin. Dr. Bizzell's institution has already part of the equipment for such training, is conducting classes in textile work and it is probable that a substitute to further increase the equipment of the A. and M. College and of C. I. A. for that work will be attempted when the bill is brought on to the floor.—Representative Will C. Edwards in Denton Record-Chronicle.

Representative John M. Adams, of Fort Worth, who was a former citizen of Bryan, is now seriously ill at his home and is not expected to be able to attend the sessions of the legislature at Austin. Representative Adams is a cousin of Geo. A. Adams, of Bryan.

Every real business concern in the town should by all means make an annual appropriation for advertising in the local newspaper. No business is too large or too small to advertise in the home newspaper.—Fourth Estate.

Owing to the continued spring-like weather in Robertson county we had just as well give up the idea of ever getting that Robertson county sausage. What do you think about it, Editor Lane and Editor Rountree.—Franklin Texan.

ORDINATION SERVICE HELD LAST NIGHT AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Last night there was held a very impressive service at the First Baptist church when three deacons were ordained. The impressive service was opened by a devotional service. Deacon W. S. Barron led the song service and Rev. J. L. Wallace of Franklin, read the scripture lesson and made a very appropriate brief talk. The Ordaining Council was made up of the following: Rev. C. E. Bullock, Rev. J. M. Bullock, Rev. W. B. Busby, Rev. J. L. Wallace and Dr. John A. Held. After the council was organized and ready for work, Deacon H. O. Boatwright, presented on behalf of the church the candidates as follows: L. E. Dowd, R. R. Ellis and E. E. McAdams. Dr. Jno. A. Held, the moderator, questioned the candidates along doctrinal and practical New Testament lines. The candidates passed a very satisfactory examination, which showed that they were well informed in the duties they were assuming and realized their responsibilities. After the examination Rev. C. E. Bullock delivered a brief, but beautiful and appropriate ordination sermon. Emphasizing the Office, the Qualifications and Duties of a deacon. This was followed by the ordination prayer and laying on of hands. Rev. W. B. Busby, delivered the charge to the deacons and the church with appropriateness and dignity. At the close Dr. Jno. A. Held, the moderator presented the newly ordained deacons to the church as worthy to serve in the capacity for which they had been elected. Benediction by Rev. J. M. Bullock.

VOTING MACHINE IN USE

The voting machine at Austin installed in the legislature casts the votes of 150 members in one minute where it took from fifteen to twenty minutes heretofore and the committee installing the machine were Representatives Rountree, Teer, Faubin, Dinkle and Smith. The machine cost \$30,000 and will pay for itself in one session.—Bryan Eagle.

Voting machines in the past have cost Texas tax payers many thousands of dollars, and if we now have one that will save them money, let us by all means keep it and use it.—Mexia Evening News.

INCOME TAX IN A NUTSHELL

WHO? Single persons who had net income of \$1000 or more or gross income of \$5,000 or more. Married couples who had net income of \$2,000 or more or gross income of \$5,000 or more.

WHEN? March 15, 1923, is final date for filing returns and making first payment.

WHERE? Collector of internal revenue for the district in which person lives or has his principal place of business.

HOW? Full directions on Form 1040A and Form 1040; also the law and regulations.

WHAT? Four per cent normal tax on taxable income up to \$4,000 in excess of exemption. Eight per cent normal tax on balance of taxable income. A surtax of 1 per cent to 50 per cent on net incomes over \$6,000 for the year 1922.

FIFTY YEARS AGO

The following appeared in the Galveston News January 29th, 1873, fifty years ago: "The International & Great Northern Railroad track was completed yesterday to Longview. The regular trains will probably be run through Monday."

"The Hearne Free Press says that thirty-six dogs were counted at one time before the door of one house in that city."

AGAINST "LEE CLUB"

Just as we expected! Members of the "Sam Club" in the Texas Press Association are howling vociferously against the proposed organization of a "Lee Club" in the Association. They see their glory waning, as an organization would overshadow this punk "Sam Club" like the Pyramids of Egypt overshadow a doodle bug's hole.—Fairfield Recorder.

Editor Sam Miller, of the Mineral Wells Index, who is vice president of the Texas Sam Club, is opposed to the Texas Lee Club on the ground that there will be trouble at Galveston when the Texas Press Association meets there in May. Don't worry, Sam, there has always been trouble at Galveston since Lafitte, the pirate, ruled there one hundred years ago.

Brazos county, through the Brazos County Poultry Association, is launching a campaign for a bigger poultry industry in Brazos. This will mean a greater income to the farmers and more fresh eggs and fried chicken for all.

"A cotton mill for Bryan" would be a good slogan for 1923 for every Bryan citizen and "More cotton mills for Texas" would be a good one for every citizen of the state.

Our newspaper friends in the legislature, Hon. Lee J. Rountree and Hon. O. D. Baker and others could do the fraternity a good favor by correcting that said legal rate controversy—there now being two separate laws on the statutes, one contradicting the other.—Franklin Texan.

The unkindest cut of all is that when a bank cashier uses a blank printed in Chicago or New York to notify the home printer that his account at the bank is overdrawn.—Lometa Reporter.

Fashion Note: The latest thing in men's clothes is a woman.—Mineral Wells Index.

PROF. BAGLEY A. & M. HELP BUY MACHINERY FOR NEW COTTON MILL

In response to a telegram from the Merchants and Planters Cotton Mill of New Braunfels, Prof. J. B. Bagley, of the textile department of A. and M. College left this morning for New Braunfels to assist in placing contracts for the machinery to be placed in the new cotton mill building that is just about completed at that place. The Merchants and Planters Cotton Mill is a million and one half dollar corporation and is erecting this cotton mill for the manufacture of gingham. The efficiency and merit of the textile department of A. and M. College is recognized by the leading cotton industries of this and other states and this is only one of many calls that come to them for advice and consultation in the work.

TIMELY TIPS FOR 1923

President W. H. Cole in his annual report to the Chamber of Commerce suggested Let's go! And the Eagle submits some timely tips from an expert as a helpful and excellent platform for the guidance of our lives and civic conduct through 1923 in aiding us to Let's go:

That, day by day, in every way, I'll get better and better.

That, day by day, in every way, I'll make a better citizen in Bryan.

That, day by day, in every way, I'll be a better member of the organization to which I belong.

That, day by day, in every way, I'll add to the improvement and attractiveness of my home surroundings.

That, day by day, in every way, I'll cultivate compliance with law, and discourage its violation; seek to create, build and improve, not to destroy, tear down, or dissipate.

That, day by day, in every way, I'll search for the good qualities in all my friends and associates, and ignore and forget the contrary; that I'll seek to aid by suggestions of something better, not by idle condemnation of what is.

That, day by day, in every way, I'll seek to cultivate my mind as well as finances; that I'll seek to be and do, rather than drift and loaf.

That, day by day, in every way, I'll seek to improve one of the bricks out of which society is made, myself.

MORE TO BE DONE FOR TEXAS RECLAMATION WORK

(Dallas-Galveston News)

In bearing the expense of making topographic and hydrographic surveys of our streams as a preliminary to the work of impounding water and of preventing overflows, the state would be making but a small contribution toward the success of a project which promises so much to Texas as this one does. Much more could be asked with justice, and in our opinion, much more must be given if the great work of conservation is to be undertaken on a scale commensurate with the opportunity that is ours. But that this little is as much as it is practicable to ask of this legislature, is indicated by the action of the house Saturday on the Rountree bill. This measure, which appropriates \$300,000 for each of two years for surveys was passed out to engrossment, but by the meager majority of twenty-eight votes. The vote was 76 for and 48 against the measure. That vote does not foretell defeat for the measure, although it denies one confident expectation of its passage; but it discloses a bulk opposition that must be disappointing to those of us who appreciate the possibilities of the project which that bill is intended to vitalize.

No report of the debate which consumed three hours, is given in the press dispatches. One is left to conjecture what were the reasons which moved the house to vote against it. However, one is not likely to go much astray in surmising that one of them was the belief that the state has no concern, either of duty or interest, in this matter, and that the other is not a work which can profitably be engaged in.

Neither of those beliefs would withstand five minutes of frank and enlightened consideration. The streams to be surveyed are state streams. They are not county streams. No survey limited in its reach to the length of a county will supply the data for any project of flood prevention or water storage if it is to be undertaken in anything like an adequate way. Hence the state's duty is to do at least what this bill proposes to have it do. Its interest lies in the fact that if flood prevention and water storage work should be done even to half the extent that it is reasonable to suppose that it would be done, the increase in property values would, in the form of taxes, bring back to the state, within a very few years, more than the amount which the passage of the Rountree bill would require it to spend. As to the profitability of water conservation, which term includes flood prevention and irrigation, one has only to consider the fact that there is never a year when multiplied millions of dollars worth of crops are not destroyed either by droughts or floods, and often by both, to see in the prevention of those disasters a result that would handsomely repay the expense. There are hundreds of thousands of acres on the lower reaches of our streams that are ravaged by floods almost every year, and there is a much larger area that is almost as frequently ravaged by droughts. Destructive floods are preventable almost absolutely, and while we can not hope to irrigate all the land that has frequent use of it, we can bring water to a large part of it, and by doing so save, within a few years more wealth than the work would cost.

No real good citizen will fight his town newspaper when it is the best friend the community has and deserves support.—Fourth Estate.

BILL PROVIDING FOR CONVENTION AMENDED BEFORE PASSED HOUSE

(Special Houston Post)

AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 20.—Amended to provide that the question be submitted at the general election in November, 1924, rather than July 4, this year, the house committee on constitutional amendments today reported favorably Representative Rountree's joint resolution for calling a constitutional convention.

Action on this resolution and Governor Neff's expected message on taxation provided the only features of Friday's session of the Thirty-eighth legislature. Both branches were recessed the greater part of the day to give committees time to consider bills, but a canvass showed that the Rountree resolution was the only important measure that had been decided upon definitely.

Equal Tax Laws

Legislation to render the State tax system "equal and uniform" was recommended by Governor Neff. His recommendations in a special message included a standard of valuation on which to base all taxes, a severance tax to obtain revenue from the state's natural resources and broadening and strict enforcement of gross receipts tax on oil production and on pipe lines. The inheritance tax law should be widened and its administration placed under State authority, the executive said. He advocated measures to collect \$6,000,000 now due in delinquent taxes, enactment of a income and franchise tax and separation of state and county taxes.

Governor Neff's message was along the same lines the chief executive has intimated for several weeks and did not cause a great deal of excitement. His recommendations having been anticipated, it is believed that the legislators already have made up their minds on the kind of tax legislation they will propose and no change in line-up is expected as a result of the message.

Pope Text Book Bill

The Pope bill, drafted to tie the hands of the text-book commission in the expenditure of school funds, is hanging fire in the committee room with five for and five against the bill. It will not be acted upon until Monday, the committee having voted to wait until then for

word from Governor Neff. So far the governor has not intimated how he feels on this question, but the bills are sure to cause a lively fight.

The Rogers bill, proposing a tax on tobacco and kindred products, was referred to a sub-committee which is known to favor the measure. Four per cent levy will be recommended when the bill is presented to the legislators for final action on a favorable report. The bill was referred to the sub-committee to study means of levying the tax, whether by stamps or direct collection.

An adverse report was made on the Baker live stock bill, which would place the live stock commission under the department of agriculture with the view of decreasing the expense of the commission. It is expected to meet with a fight when it comes up on minority report.

Culp Bill Is Killed

The committee on State affairs killed the Culp bill, calling for the collection, compilation and publication of information, statistics and data relating to agricultural, horticultural, live stock, manufacturing and other industries and enterprises to be accomplished through the tax assessors and the department of agriculture.

The Dodd bill, making provisions for acceptance by Texas of administration of the Sheppard-Towner maternity act, was reported favorably by the public health committee. A minority report signed by Representatives Brady, Baldwin and Harding of Kaufman declared, however, that the act was an infringement on State's rights and "that Texas is able to care for maternal and infant welfare without interference by the Federal government."

University Improvement Bill

The Westbrook bill, allowing the regents of the University of Texas to spend accrued interest from the permanent university fund for improvements on the campus and university branches, was reported favorably. A favorable report also was given the Melson bill creating a department of insurance separate from this department of banking. The Dunn bill exempting world war veterans and nurses from paying student fees in State institutions also received a favorable report.

JUDGE GIPSON JOINS IN RECLAMATION NEW WORK IN ALL TEXAS

(By Hugh Nugent Fitzgerald, Austin American Staff)

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 22.—Constructive work is uppermost in the minds of the lawmakers of the 38th. Representative Bell of Coryell county is chairman of the committee on constitutional amendments. There are many able men on this committee and they are working overtime. Democrats of Texas in convention assembled declared for a new constitution. Governor Neff recommended a new constitution. Representative Bell's committee has worked out a joint resolution which will receive the support of the three factions—those who favored the calling of a convention to draft a constitution, those who favored the Moore-Hendricks plan and those who favored a popular referendum without delay. The resolution is No. 9 and was introduced by Rountree and Quaid.

This has placed the issue squarely before the members of the lower house and the compromise calls for the submission of the proposition to the people at the next regular election.

Flood Control Bill

Representative Rountree of Brazos, is chairman of the conservation committee. There are many progressives on this committee. They not only reported out a constructive reclamation measure, but they fought a battle royal in the house and won when they sent the bill over the top.

Gipson of Wichita in Reclamation Fight

This is the second of the important recommendations made by the San Antonio convention and passed on to the legislature with enthusiastic approval of the governor. The reclamation bill provides for a survey of streams and water sheds of Texas and appropriates \$300,000 a year for two years. It was engrossed by a vote of 76 to 48.

Representative E. H. Gipson of Wichita county was one of the members from the west who led the fight for the reclamation measure. His constituents are putting over the largest community irrigation project in the southwest, and Gipson is an advocate of constructive legislation of this kind. It is said that the Wichita Lake reservoir is 60 per cent finished and that the ditches are nearly all excavated. This project will cost five million dollars; the reservoir has a capacity of 160,000,000 gallons and 200,000 acres are to be reclaimed.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

With the New Year added interest is manifest in the various Sunday schools of Bryan and the attendance is making very satisfactory increases. Attendance on Sunday, January 29th was as follows: First Baptist, 409; First Methodist 294; First Presbyterian 149; First Christian 83; Free Baptist 73; Episcopal 46; Total attendance 1054.

The paramount question at Austin now seems to be how to raise about \$40,000,000 in taxes and then appropriate the amount. The state owes about \$2,000,000 more money now that it has funds to pay. That's the problem.

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EXECUTIVE BOARD OF BRAZOS COUNTY R. C. ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

The 1923 executive board of the Brazos County Red Cross Chapter, held its first meeting on Tuesday afternoon at Red Cross headquarters, with Chairman W. H. Cole presiding. The following members were present: W. H. Cole, E. J. Jenkins, Rev. J. B. Glessner, Mr. Madison Hall, Mrs. Tyler Haswell, Mrs. M. Francis, Mrs. W. S. Howell, Mrs. Frank L. Webb, Mrs. John K. Parker, Mrs. J. T. Hanway, W. H. Cole, who for the past two years has faithfully and efficiently served the chapter as chairman, tendered his resignation to the board, and same was accepted at his urgent request but with deep and sincere regret. Election of chapter officers for the coming year was then taken up, resulting as follows: E. J. Jenkins, chairman; Mrs. Tyler Haswell, vice chairman; Fred L. Cavitt, treasurer. Fred L. Cavitt was also elected to membership on the executive board to fill the place made vacant by the resignation of A. M. Waldrop. The election of a chapter secretary was postponed until a later date, pending the decision of the board as to the scope of work to be undertaken by the local Red Cross in 1923.

A Shortage of Funds

W. H. Cole reported \$300 donated to the Red Cross Health Work by the Bryan City Commission. Chairman Jenkins, in assuming his duties at the head of Red Cross work for the coming year, stressed the fact that on account of the very limited amount of chapter funds, some changes in the program of the work would be necessary. He declared that the future of the organization's work in Brazos county would be vitally affected by the decision made in this regard by the incoming board, and that he deemed it unwise to enter hurriedly into a final decision. The members of the board concurred in the chairman's opinion and it was decided to hold an adjourned meeting for general discussion of the subject. The chapter secretary was called on for an annual report of chapter activities during the past year, which was given, and will appear in full in the Eagle tomorrow. Chairman Jenkins appointed the Nursing Service committee for 1923, to co-operate with the public health nurse in all health work, and protect same for the best interest of the people of Brazos county as follows: Mrs. Frank L. Webb, chairman; Mrs. John K. Parker, Mrs. M. Francis, Mrs. Tyler Haswell, Miss Della Lawrence, Rev. J. B. Glessner, Dr. B. U. Sims, Mr. D. L. Wilson.

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS

Prof. and Mrs. C. B. Cook of Pittsburgh, Penn., have arrived in Bryan for a visit at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Prof. and Mrs. Charise Marten of West 29th Street. Prof. Cook has been a prominent educator of Pennsylvania for many years, having retired last June from a twenty-three years continuance of service as principal of the Allen Public School, Pittsburgh, a school of one thousand pupils.

Vision's Value

Do you appreciate the importance of good eye sight? If your sight is not perfect you could make every effort to improve it. Glasses may be necessary but this is a question you cannot decide for yourself. Eyestrain is often unsuspected as such by the sufferer as the sight appears to be perfect. Our system of examination is thorough. If your eyes trouble you in any way we shall be pleased to advise you whether yours is a case for glasses or not.

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BRYAN CEMETERY AS'N. LAUNCH BIG PLANS FOR A MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

The directors of the Bryan Cemetery Association met in regular monthly session, Thursday, January 25th, at 11 a. m. Those present were: George A. Adams, Mrs. M. W. Sims, Mrs. Jno. E. Astin, Mrs. J. E. Covey, Mrs. Dona Carnes, Mrs. Albert Buchanan, F. E. Cavitt. Plans for the annual membership drive were brought before the directors by the membership chairman, Mrs. Jno. E. Astin. The membership committee, composed of Mrs. Jno. Astin, Mrs. J. E. Covey and Mrs. M. W. Sims, Sr., was authorized to start at once on the drive for annual membership and dues.

Mrs. John Astin moved that the plans for the Cemetery Endowment Fund be passed on by the city council as custodian for funds, which was carried, and the committee instructed to carry same before the city council at once. The plans for beautification, gateway, etc., as reported by committee, are still under way and are nearing completion, and will be made known soon. The treasurer reported funds as follows: Balance in maintenance last report \$154.28; Receipts to date \$2.00; Disbursements \$23.85; Balance, January 25th, 1923, \$132.43. Balance unavailable, last report, \$102.34; Receipts, to date \$8.50; Disbursements \$33.00; Balance, January 25th, 1923, \$77.84; Total balance of funds to date \$210.27.

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A HOME INSTITUTION

Jess Cook spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Cook of Steep Hollow.

Esker Martin and W. H. Atkinson of Steep Hollow were in town today.

BRAZOS COUNTY FAST CLIMBING STANDARD-BRED POULTRY RAISING

(T. J. Conway, Poultry Husbandry A. and M. College).

The census figures for 1910 stated that at that time Brazos county had 75,978 poultry of all kinds on its farms. Ten years later or in 1920 the new figures showed 110,080 chickens on our farms, an increase during the census period of 34,102 birds, or about 45 per cent. The same source credits our county with producing \$82,854 worth of poultry and eggs and in 1919 the census figures indicated that we produced \$213,293 worth of the same product. This is an increase of \$130,439 that year over the one ten years earlier. We therefore increased our poultry producing wealth 157 per cent during these years. If a careful detailed poultry census could have been made each year for the past two or three years it would no doubt be found that we have made tremendously greater strides in our Brazos county poultry industry. Not only have numbers increased many times over but quality has become the passport and there are no better high quality birds to be found anywhere in our state or nation than right here in our own county.

If you will look backward to the years of 1914 and 1915 you could then count on the figures of one hand the few flocks of pure bred poultry that were in the county. At the same time you will also recall that these flocks in only one or two instances numbered more than a dozen birds to the group.

The poultry progress and development that has been experienced during this time has been most encouraging and satisfactory. All the development made has been done on a most firm and permanent basis. Small flocks have gradually and consistently grown to large ones and at the same time have kept in mind high laying qualities with excellent regard to breed and variety requirements. An afternoon's drive will allow a party to visit 15 to 30 good successful poultry farms of the popular successful breeds viewing on these places the latest and most modern poultry houses and equipment and enjoying the pleasure of observing from eight to ten thousand or more attractive fowls as a poultry fancier or enthusiast would desire to see.

Climate Is Ideal.

Brazos county has the climate, rainfall, soil, transportation and in many respects the marketing facilities to make a most satisfactory poultry community. The Brazos County Poultry Association is alive and alert and on the job to foster, help and encourage the beginner or experienced poultry raiser to develop his flock to any proportion desired. The officers and members of the association are ready and willing at all times to respond to requests for help, lectures and demonstrations on any phase of the work. A pursuit of the Daily Eagle for the past two weeks give excellent accounts of the inspiring and helpful talks made by the members at Edge, Wellborn and other places about the county. This spirit of cooperation and help has been one of the most dominant factors that have influenced the growth of the industry.

Chamber of Commerce Aiding.

The chamber of commerce by aiding and fostering the local poultry show, the community fairs and poultry exhibits in the different localities and by their good interest and willingness to always be of help has been another great help. The banks of the city through their officers and staffs have taken considerable interest in the work, which has meant much to those contemplating starting poultry farms or enlarging on those they already have. The lumber yards, feed houses, hardware stores and business interests of all kinds have rendered every assistance possible to the work. They have stocked their places with the equipment desired and make provision of every kind to be ready when needed.

These factors are mentioned to indicate in some respects that all forces of the county combined have realized the value and importance of the work and by their good will and help have been some of the means for our good county growth. At present there is a good sized hatchery in successful operation that produces many tens of thousands chicks each month. Another hatchery is about ready to open its doors. In a few years both of these will enlarge, others will start and grow and be the means of absorbing the hatching egg business of the county and to distribute our good stock throughout the nation.

There are numbers of flocks of

MISS CROSSE RESIGNS PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

Miss Celia M. Crosse, Red Cross public health nurse, has tendered her resignation to the board of directors to become effective at a time convenient to them, to accept a position with the Texas State Health Department at Austin in the Child Welfare work. Miss Crosse's work in Bryan and Brazos county has been a pioneer work on a big, broad program and in this short time she has, through the schools, systematized the entire county into an organized working force for the betterment of health. For her having loaned herself to Brazos county for this short time there will be more people in Brazos county know of the laws of health; more people who will know how to keep well and how they can help to prolong the lives of the people in their community and greatest of all there will be more children come out of school strong and healthy and able to use that which they have learned. While here Miss Crosse has made many friends, who wish for her success in her new fields of labor.

S. C. White Leghorns of 400 or more birds, flocks of Barred Plymouth Rocks, S. C. Rhode Island Reds and other good commercial breeds in all parts of the county. Turkeys are receiving more attention and flocks of Mammoth Bronze, Burbon Reds and White Hollands are being developed. One very attractive and substantial farm has in addition to its 400 White Leghorns, about 200 fine White Pekin Ducks, White Embden Geese, White Holland Turkeys and White African Guineas. There is no doubt at all that within the next year the poultry will double itself many times. By 1926 there will be more fine successful poultry farms with high class poultry on them than any other county of the state. Plans are now being made to shortly start a good cooperative marketing association for Brazos county so that all eggs and poultry products can be sold in all amounts, at all seasons of the year at prices that will justify a poultry raiser to enlarge and develop his business.

To those already in poultry farming business and to those farmers and others contemplating same or enlarging their present flocks there are a few essentials to keep in mind. First of all emphasis of high grade stock. Those bred for high egg production is desired. Be on the alert to always cut out all undesirable individuals and specimens. Feed them good, carefully compounded feeds and rations. When you build a poultry house or enlarge or remodel an old one make it comfortable to the fowls, convenient to the attendants and attractive to visitors. Provide green succulent range throughout the year, with shade and protection from both heat and cold. Read and study. Visit other farms and poultry raisers of the county. In a few years Brazos county will be the most prosperous agricultural one in the state or entire south and Bryan the city of prosperous cities.

J. D. MARTIN ELECTED VICE PRESIDENT THE TEXAS HARDWARE ASS.

At the silver anniversary convention of the Texas Hardware and Implement Association held in Dallas this week, closing today, J. D. Martin of Bryan was elected vice president of the association, thus Bryan was again honored by one of her most faithful and estimable citizens being recognized.

Ask Support For A. & M.
The convention Wednesday morning unanimously voted to call upon the legislature to give the agricultural engineering department of the Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College adequate financial support immediately, following an address by Dean E. J. Kyle of A. & M. College.

In addition to this, Mr. Kyle said not less than \$150,000 is needed for permanent buildings to house the agricultural engineering department of the College. After Dean Kyle several delegates made short statements on the needs of the school, some of them declaring that the present state of affairs at the College, due to lack of financial support, is a disgrace to the State of Texas. Housing conditions at the College, one speaker said, were so inadequate that many of the students were living in tents.

TABOR NEWS

TABOR, Texas, Jan. 29.—Mrs. G. M. Ammons has had to give up her work in the Tabor school, due to failing health. Her son, Ernest, has been selected to take her place. Her friends regret that Mrs. Ammons is now confined to her bed.

The neighborhood of Tabor and vicinity has been visited recently with a plentiful rainfall and things are in glowing condition at the present time.

The farmers are doing considerable terracing in this section. Only one farmer lost any portion of his land during the recent rains and that was due to having not been completed.

Mrs. Minnie Elliott, who went to Galveston last week for treatment, returned home this week and it is understood that she is very much improved.

Miss Margaret Marquet was called away from school Thursday on account of the death of her cousin. The Tabor boys' basketball team met and defeated the Harvey boys' team on the Allen Academy court at Bryan Friday. This ties three teams, Tabor, Edge and Harvey for the north county championship. The winner amongst these three will play the south county champion for the honors.

CREATING S. S. INTEREST

A letter from R. E. Lee, official in the Baptist Sunday school at College, gives some interesting information as to the progress being made through the interest that has been cultivated in the students who attend. The writer first expresses his appreciation of the story in the Bryan Daily Eagle relating a little camping party enjoyed by the boys, which, he feels will do much to regenerate interest among the boys that have dropped out of the Junior department and will create an interest in those who are not now attending, to do so. The class in question has had to be divided, owing to its large size, but all hikes camping parties, etc., will be enjoyed by both classes as a whole.

W. F. Atkinson, a well known citizen of Iola, was a business visitor in Bryan today.

G. B. Hensarling of Wellborn was here today.

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GENUINE "BULL" DURHAM TOBACCO

NEW BUSINESS ENTERPRISE

J. Maniloff, dry goods merchant on North Main street, has secured a lease on the building next door to his present place of business and is arranging shelves and counters to accommodate a stock of variety goods. This stock is now arriving and the store will open to the public Wednesday morning, January 31st.

MR. PARKS RETURNS

E. F. Parks has just returned from the East, where he went to purchase furniture for his establishment, E. F. Parks and Co. Mr. Parks included in his itinerary, Chicago, Grand Rapids, St. Louis and other cities, returning by way of Dallas to visit his brother, Joe Parks, for several days and reaching Bryan on Tuesday.

"THE BIBLE CLASS WEEKLY"

"The Bible Class Weekly," a card newspaper, published by the Business Men's Bible Class of the First Baptist church of this city, is the latest booster for Sunday school work in the city. Volume I, No. 1 has been issued, and sent out through the mail. This new card weekly is edited and published by the class officers as follows: D. L. Wilson, president; M. E. Wallace, A. S. Ware, H. R. Guiberson, vice-presidents; T. H. Haltom, secretary; Robert English, assistant secretary; Mills P. Walker, treasurer; A. J. Buchanan, reporter; Dr. John A. Held, teacher; John A. Moore, assistant teacher.

PLAY GIVEN AT HARVEY.

The Wellborn Community Club put on their home-talent playlet in three acts Thursday night at Harvey school house before only a small, but well entertained and highly pleased audience. This was the second performance for the members of the cast and they really presented the play in a creditable manner. It is to be regretted that more of the people of this neighborhood did not get out to enjoy some of the laughs that were created by different members of the cast. Those attending from Bryan were: Miss Laura Belle Roten, county home demonstration agent, Mrs. Emma Griffith, assistant to the county school superintendent, Miss Johnnie Burns from College, and Harold D. Cuykendall, city editor on the Bryan Eagle.

MRS. O. H. ASTIN GUEST

Among the hostesses of the week was the noon day spring luncheon on Thursday given by Mrs. D. C. Hill in her beautiful home on Tucker street. The dining room table was centered in a nest of sweet pea blooms garnished in fluffy ferns. Place cards ensigned in spring baskets filled with flowers marked places for the guests. Six elegant spring courses were served the following guests: Mesdames John Heard, O. H. Astin, of Bryan, Florence Rhea, S. O. Scott, Joe Ware, W. W. McDowell, R. M. Board, Maude Powell, Dulaney, S. Quisenberry, J. L. White, D. C. Hill, Sara Howell, J. P. Dowell, W. S. Wyson, W. M. Hynds, F. M. Warden.—McKinney Courier-Gazette.

DEATH OF MR. CURD

(Navesota Examiner-Review)
J. F. Curd, a prominent and highly respected citizen of Millican, passed away yesterday afternoon at 5:30, after a long illness, from the effects of cancer. Mr. Curd was 38 years of age and leaves a number of relatives and a large circle of friends to mourn his untimely death. He was known to many of the people of this city, who will learn with deep regret of his death. Funeral services were conducted this afternoon, followed by interment at the Simes cemetery near Millican.

MESSANGER'S OFF DAY

"Lady Luck," "Mis-Fortune" or "Mis-Chance" deserted Dewey Carnes, the "hunt-em-up" and deliver boy for the local office of the Western Union Telegraph Company, Saturday. And during their absence his bicycle came off second best in a contest with an automobile with sad results. He had left the wheel leaning against a post in front of E. R. Emmel's drug store and a car, driven by a woman, collided with it. The woman has agreed to pay for repairs so Carnes thinks perhaps "Dame Fortune" has relented and "luck" has again returned to him.

RURAL TEACHERS HOLD INSTITUTE MEETING

The teachers of the Brazos county rural schools met this morning at 9:30 o'clock at the court house for their regular monthly institute meeting. In the absence of Chairman P. S. Mangum, Superintendent D. J. McDonald presided. After a discussion of questions vital to the teachers of the county it was decided to adjourn on account of such a small attendance and meet in called session Saturday, February third.

TWO MEN CHARGED TRANSPORTING LIQUOR RELEASED ON BONDS

F. J. Johnson and J. F. Woolworth are the names given by two men arrested here Thursday night and confined in the county jail on a charge of transporting intoxicating liquor. They were picked up by Officers Offa Williams and T. H. Franklin, who located the liquor in a car, it is said. According to information given by the men, they are carpenters whose homes are in Kansas. At the present time they were traveling by car from Port Arthur, Texas, to a point in Oklahoma, where they expected to go to work. Johnson and Woolworth were given a hearing late Friday before Justice of the Peace J. W. Hamilton and were bound over to await the action of the grand jury in the sum of \$500 for Woolworth and \$200 for Johnson. Their bonds were made good by the carpenters' union of Bryan.

FIRE AT MADISONVILLE JUST FIFTY YEARS AGO

The Galveston News of fifty years ago says: Navasota, Texas, Jan. 23.—A distressing fire occurred in Madisonville on the night of the 20th inst. The following parties were losers: R. C. and F. J. Westmoreland, \$3,000, no insurance; Wilson, Yarborough and Co., \$6,000, no insurance; Henry King, \$6,000, no insurance. The law books of M. Y. Randolph were also destroyed. James Kent lost \$500. The records of Madison county were destroyed and about 100 deeds that were on file, it was evidently the work of an incendiary. This is the second burning of the records of Madison county since the war.

CLUB MEETING AT KURTEN

(Reported by Club Members)
On Wednesday morning, January 24, Miss Laura Belle Roten, county home demonstration agent met with the club girls of Kurten at the school house. Many helpful instructions were given to the class by Miss Roten. Cream of tomato and crackers were served to the club girls and boys. The cream of tomato soup being made by the club girls and the crackers were donated by Miss Roten. We have some lively boys and girls at Kurten and wish to show Miss Roten and our home economics teacher, Mrs. L. N. Tyler that we appreciate the wonderful opportunity that we have with them for our instructors. Miss Roten is surely doing some good work in our community. We are always glad when the days come for her to be in our midst.

TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET NOW OPENED FOR TRAFFIC

The new pavement on East 27th street from College Boulevard passed the First Methodist church is being opened up today for traffic. This will be much appreciated by the public in general and especially those who worship at the First Methodist church.

L. S. ROSS CHAPTER CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY ROBERT E. LEE, FRIDAY

L. S. Ross chapter United Daughters of the Confederacy, held a public meeting at Carnegie Library auditorium on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock, honoring the birthday of General Robert E. Lee. The room was decorated with flags of the nation and a large sized picture of the South's greatest hero, held place of prominence in the decoration of the stage, where ferns and red and white roses gave artistic arrangement.

Mrs. Albert Buchanan, president of the local chapter, U. D. C., presided and in a few words gave special welcome to members of Camp J. B. Robertson, U. C. V., who were present. After stating the subject of the program of the hour, and declaring that the chapter hopes to do a greater work of educating the children to the truths of Confederate history, through the medium of these public programs, Mrs. Buchanan announced that Mrs. J. B. Beers had arranged the program of the afternoon, and it was given as follows: Invocation, Dr. W. N. Sholl, vocal duet, "Whispering Hope," Mrs. Fish and Mrs. Leland, with Mrs. Regenbrecht accompanying. Address, "General Lee as a fighter," General Lee as a gentleman," Thomas F. Mayo of College; violin solo, Miss Elizabeth Cline. At the close of the program, L. S. Ross chapter presented crosses of honor to Sgt. W. A. Gustavus, Company E, 4th Mississippi Regiment, Forest's Cavalry, and to Private C. H. Weaver, Company F, 24th Texas Regiment, Wilkes Infantry. A short business session of the chapter followed at which time, regular business was attended to. One change in chapter laws was made, raising the annual dues from 50 cents to \$1. The president appointed, as a committee to arrange a Valentine message from the Bryan chapter to the inmates of the Old Ladies' Confederate home at Austin, Mrs. P. S. Park, Mrs. E. W. Crenshaw and Mrs. J. M. Dunn. Before adjournment, this committee announced that their decisions had been made and were asked to report. The chapter will send a box of home made candy and a Valentine message to every old lady in the home. The February meeting of the chapter will be held with Mrs. J. B. Beers.

Miss Lurline Dowling of Millican is a guest of Mrs. Walter Holmes.

T. P. Hall of Steep Hollow was among the out-of-town visitors here today.

Horace Thurman, J. Q. Lewis, M. B. Corgie, Cody and Aubrey Lawless, well known citizens of Macey were business visitors today.

BRAZOS LIVESTOCK IS IN HUNDRED PER CENT CONDITION ON JAN. 15

(By Associated Press)
HOUSTON, Texas, Jan. 27.—The mild winter on one hand has contributed to a good condition of livestock and pasture and on the other hand by prolonged drought, brought about short pasture and the need of feeding, according to the reports of correspondents of the United States division of crop estimates for a period ending January 15, made public today. Livestock in Brown county was reported in exceptionally fine condition for this season of the year. The number of head has been materially reduced and an abundance of grass, water and feed to carry the remainder through the winter was evident, that county's correspondent declared.

"Best in Years"

Livestock and pasture were said to be above ordinary condition in San Patricio county; Nacogdoches, condition good, due to open winter; Brazos 100 per cent; Sherman, good condition; Kleberg and Nueces counties, fine condition; Willacy, "best in years;" Comal stock doing well; Jasper, best in several years; Zavalla, good; Wharton, good; Mitchell, pasture unusually good with live stock wintering well and little feeding expected to be necessary; Callahan, fine; Montague, good; Live Oak, good grass but dry, and Webb, fair to good. Other reports by counties follow: Angelina, livestock in good condition, pasture good; Lavaca, bad, too dry; Runnels, dry; Wood, 75 per cent; Knox, ranges short, no wild rye owing to continued dry weather; Wichita, grass short and stock generally in poor condition for hard winter; Hamilton, pastures are dried up but stock doing well considering. Madison county, pastures not good, stock poor; El Paso, many cattle and mules on alfalfa, pastures very short; Bee, pastures very dry, not much grass; Houston, livestock and pastures in very poor condition, Bell, livestock doing well for this time of the year.

JANUARY MEETING OF PARENT-TEACHERS ON THURSDAY AFTERNOON

The January meetings of the East and West Side Parent-Teachers' Association in Bryan, were held on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. By way of parenthesis he said, this organization of mothers and teachers, interested vitally in the welfare of the children of the Bryan schools, is planning wisely and well a work that is contributing largely to the present and future welfare of not only the schools, but to every individual child in its large enrollment. A hearty co-operation from the people of the entire city, whether they have children in the schools or not is due this organization in its labors.

The East Side Parent-Teachers' Association, Mrs. J. B. Beers, president, met with twelve members present. Mrs. N. Lobello was unanimously elected secretary to fill that important office made vacant by the resignation of Mrs. H. O. Ferguson. Reports from the committees in charge of the beautification of the grounds around Bryan's high school building, the pride of the city, showed good work being accomplished. Mrs. M. W. Sims, Jr., was made chairman of the general committee in charge of this work. It was determined by vote of those present that the next work of the association will be to assist in furnishing reference books for the high school library. This will be the important work to be accomplished before the closing of the present school term.

The West Side Parent-Teachers' Association met at three o'clock at the West Side building with twenty members present. The resignation of Mrs. M. B. Parker, who has served the association so faithfully, was accepted at her request, and Mrs. E. H. P. Bain, vice president, assumed leadership of the association. Mrs. R. W. Persons, the secretary was present and gave her report. The children of the second grade, under the direction of their teacher, Miss Gladys Walker, and Anna-deen Held, and Margaret Parker, each gave a beautiful reading. Mr. C. M. Bethany, principal of the West Side schools, then talked to the association on the interesting subject of the new school building, its needs, and the members of the organization were so glad of opportunity to enlist as aids in this work. Plans are being laid to make a February meeting a "house warming social," at which time the patrons of the West Side school will be shown over the new school home.

DEATH OF MR. GUSTAVUS

An early morning telegram brought to relatives and friends in Bryan the sad news of the sudden death of Judge C. E. Gustavus of Amarillo. Mr. Gustavus seemed in his usual health, was taken suddenly ill during Sunday night, and passed away at 6 o'clock this morning at his home in Amarillo. Deceased is a brother of Mrs. W. H. Cole and Mrs. H. R. Bratton, and a son-in-law of Mrs. J. H. Burtis of this city. He is survived by his wife and four daughters, Mae, Eris, Gene and Alice Gustavus. Those who went from Bryan to Amarillo today to attend the funeral were Mrs. W. H. Cole, Mrs. H. R. Bratton, sisters of the deceased, his aged father, Mr. W. A. Gustavus, who was in Bryan on a visit, Mrs. John H. Allen and Miss Mae Burtis.

E. M. Williamson of Bay City, Worshipful Master and representative from the Bay City Lodge, A. F. and A. M., attended the funeral of Captain John N. South in Bryan today and while here was a guest of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Davis D. Williamson.

AUSTIN MAN IN BRYAN SEARCHING FOR WIFE MISSING TWO MONTHS

A frantic search is being made by J. F. Parsley of Austin for his wife, mother of four little children, aged from 7 to 13, who left her home suddenly and unexpectedly on December 5th and from whom not one word has been heard, directly, or indirectly, to this date. She was last seen about one o'clock, December 5th, at the corner of Sixth and Congress avenue in Austin by her niece, who was going to work in a downtown office. Mrs. Parsley carried a suitcase. The only train she could have left on after that hour was six hours late and questioning at the ticket office and efforts to secure information from the drivers of jitney lines to San Antonio and other points, all failed to glean any information whatsoever, and it is thought that she must have left by car.

Left Without Warning

The husband has called up places at both near and far distant points in the futile endeavor to uncover a clue. Mrs. Parsley cleaned up the children, prepared their lunches and sent them to school that morning as usual and then suddenly dropped, as it were, to the husband, off the face of the earth, completely, before nightfall when he returned from work. She was of a nervous nature; was not in good health and an operation had been advised by some, but discouraged by the husband as he said that he feared the weakness of her heart might prove fatal for her; had been reading novels incessantly and attending the shows there, according to the husband.

Clue From Bryan

Only recently Mr. Parsley received a clue leading him to believe that his wife was in this city; an aged negro, formerly a resident of Bryan, but now living at Austin, had talked with a porter from a Bryan Hotel, who had told of a woman in detail, the description answering in every detail. He said she was a good-looking woman of about five feet, eight inches in height and weighed in the neighborhood of 150 pounds. He further stated that she kept to her room most of the time, seemed to be not in her right mind and had frequently had her meals brought up to her. Mr. Parsley came over to Bryan Thursday afternoon and took up the search but has been able to find no clue whatever, even with the assistance of the local officers, he having appealed to Chief-of-Police W. S. Martin. He expects to leave for home tonight and hopes that the publication of his story in the Bryan Eagle will lead to information as to her whereabouts from someone in this community who may have knowledge of her. The children, naturally, miss their mother very much. Surely there was something serious about the matter, else no woman could have deserted a husband and four little children. The husband, J. F. Parsley, is associated with his brother in the W. F. Parsley Dry Cleaning Company, 310 Congress avenue.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR CAPTAIN SOUTH WITH MASONIC CEREMONIES

The body of Capt. John N. South of Bay City, who was killed in a shooting affray on Wednesday at 4 o'clock, near Bay City, arrived in Bryan last night over the H. & T. C. road and was met by County Tax Collector Roy Hudspeth, John Vick, J. B. Priddy, Will B. Saunders, Linton Robinson and George E. Hadley and taken to the McCulloch-Gordon undertaking parlors, from which place funeral services were held this morning at 10 o'clock, with Masonic ceremonies, by Brazos Union Lodge No. 129 A. F. & A. M. Rev. King Vivian, chaplain of the lodge, conducted the services. Pall bearers: J. D. Martin, T. A. Adams, W. F. Tauber, J. W. Batts, J. B. Priddy, O. E. Saunders, C. R. Gardner and E. M. Williamson of Bay City, L. J. Tauber and Frank McGee, stewards; C. F. Ayers, tiler and Ralph Dunn, marshal. Interment took place in the city cemetery. Mr. South was a thirty-second degree Mason and was held in high esteem by those who knew him. Many beautiful floral offerings came from a distance, silently testifying to this fact. One among which was a fiery cross of gorgeous blossoms from Stephen F. Austin No. 74, Ku Klux Klan, of Bay City. Those accompanying the remains to Bryan were: Mrs. John N. South, wife of deceased and two children, Sadie and Rubie, E. M. Williamson representative of A. F. & A. M. Bay City Lodge, Dave South, brother of Walter and Mrs. Gilley Loftin mother of Mrs. South, of Waller.

MRS. STEPHENS INJURED

Mrs. Nellie Stephens was quite seriously hurt last night by being run over by an automobile as she and Mr. Stephens was going home from church between nine and ten o'clock. The accident occurred on West 26th street near the West side school building. A truck was standing in the street near the curb, and as Mr. and Mrs. Stephens walked around it, the car that struck Mrs. Stephens, at this time swerved to ward them to miss another car passing on the other side of the street, striking Mrs. Stephens and knocking her down. An ugly gash was cut in her head, her face badly bruised and one entire side of her body was also badly bruised. She was taken immediately to the hospital, where her wounds were dressed, after which she was removed to her home on West 27th street, where she is resting well today. The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hudspeth was driving the car which struck Mrs. Stephens.

Prof. G. M. Ammons, principal of the Tabor schools, was a visitor in Bryan Saturday.

CAPT. SOUTH FORMER BRYAN CITIZEN KILLED IN A SHOOTING AFFRAY

News of the death of John N. South, which occurred near his home in Bay City on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, as the result of an altercation, the details of which have not yet been ascertained, has brought sincere regret to a host of friends in Bryan. A telephone message from his widow to a sister, Mrs. W. J. Andrews of Union Hill, gave only the meagre report that John South had been instantly killed, and that the body would be brought to Bryan, his old home for interment. The remains will arrive tonight, and the funeral will be held from the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Andrews, Friday morning at 10 o'clock with interment following at the Bryan cemetery. John South, was born in Bryan, March 9, 1870, and was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Bester South, pioneer residents of Brazos county. His early childhood and early boyhood was spent here, and in his early manhood he went to South Texas, where he lived continuously ever since. He was married to Miss Sallie Loftin of Bryan nearly twenty years ago, and together they built their home, and two children blessed their union, one daughter fifteen years of age and one daughter in her first year. Deceased is survived by his wife and these two daughters, and one brother, Dave South of Richmond, Texas, and one sister, Mrs. W. J. Andrews of Union Hill. John South was held in the highest esteem of all who knew him and was a man of honor and integrity. He was a Thirty-Second degree Mason, and lived upon that high standard of honor, which the Masonic fraternity symbolizes.

Another Report Given

(Special to Galveston News)
BAY CITY, Texas, Jan. 25.—Two prominent men of this section were instantly killed late Wednesday afternoon in a shooting affray at Sugar Valley, near here. Dozier Brown and Captain J. N. South are the two men dead. Mr. Brown, while traveling in an automobile in company with Bob Girtman, passed Sugar Valley, where Captain South was unloading a car of feed. Shooting started, two pistols, one a 38 and the other a 45, being used. Both men died instantly. Captain South was a prominent Sugar Valley planter and at one time was in charge of the state prison farms near Bryan, Texas. He is survived by a family. Mr. Brown was an old resident of Matagorda county, having farmed and managed a syrup mill. The Masonic lodge will have charge of Captain South's funeral. Both men lived in the same community.

TABOR COMMUNITY MEET

The Tabor Community Club met last Friday night at the schoolhouse, only fifteen or twenty being present, there having been a misunderstanding about the announcement and a counter attraction on the same evening. However, it was an enthusiastic and appreciative audience. Harold D. Cuykendall, city editor of the Bryan Eagle, was first called upon for a reading and he rendered the old favorite of James Whitcomb Riley, "An Old Sweetheart of Mine," after which Miss Laura Belle Roten, county home demonstration agent, read, "The Blacksmith's Wife." County Agent C. L. Beason was called upon for some remarks and he discussed the poultry proposition from different angles, all tending to show that the raiser of standard-bred poultry would find it profitable. The meeting adjourned early, it being deemed not desirable to present the full program before such a small crowd, or as the president expressed it, quoting, "waste its sweetness on the desert air." Before the meeting broke up completely, a number of those present gathered around the piano and sang a number of the old time songs.

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

February 2, 1923—Senior boys: Tabor vs. College, at Allen Academy court; Junior boys: Edge vs. Winner not reported, in Bryan; Senior girls: Steep Hollow vs. Edge at Bryan high; Junior girls: Smetana vs. Steep Hollow, at Bryan high. JOHN J. HATSLER, Director.

Well!

Strong!

Mrs. Anna Clover, of R. F. D. 5, Winfield, Kans., says: "I began to suffer some months ago with womanly troubles, and I was afraid I was going to get in bed. Each month I suffered with my head, back and sides—a weak, aching, nervous feeling. I began to try medicines as I knew I was getting worse. I did not seem to find the right remedy until someone told me of

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

I used two bottles before I could see any great change, but after that it was remarkable how much better I got. I am now well and strong. I can recommend Cardui for it certainly benefited me."

If you have been experimenting on yourself with all kinds of different remedies, better get back to good, old, reliable Cardui, the medicine for women, about which you have always heard, which has helped many thousands of others, and which should help you, too. Ask your neighbor about it; she has probably used it.

For sale everywhere.

BAR ASSOCIATION OF BRAZOS COUNTY BEEN ORGANIZED IN BRYAN

Robert Armstrong, W. S. Barron, F. L. Henderson, Joe Ranson, W. E. Neely, Oak McKenzie, J. G. Minkert, R. V. Armstrong and Lamar Bethea, members of the Brazos County Bar met in the office of Henderson and Ranson on the 30th day of January, 1923, for the purpose of perfecting a permanent organization of the Brazos County Bar. The following officers were elected: Robert Armstrong, president; W. S. Barron, secretary-treasurer. Upon motion, the Bar Association endorsed the movement to establish a new court of Civil Appeals at Waco, Texas, and telegrams advising the action of said association were sent to Senator Edgar E. Witt at Austin and J. P. Alexander, former law partner of Governor Neff. A committee to draft by-laws, rules and regulations governing the Bar Association was appointed by the president as follows: Oak McKenzie, Joe Ranson and W. E. Neely. The committee is to report at the next meeting of the bar association on the 19th day of February, 1923. The members of the Brazos County Bar were invited by Oak McKenzie to take luncheon at the Green Parrot Tea Room February 19, 1923, and the motion was accepted with not a dissenting vote.

POSTED—NOTICE

This is to notify all concerned that all my land 14 miles north of Bryan is posted according to law and anyone found trespassing will be prosecuted. JOHN ROTH.

Intestinal worms destroy the health of children and weaken their vitality. The worms should be expelled before serious damage is done. White's Cream Vermifuge is a thoroughly successful remedy. Price 35c. Sold by all Druggists. (Advertisement)

FRIEND IN NEED

Bryan, Texas, Jan. 31, 1923—You are hereby notified of an assessment of One Dollar and Ten Cents (\$1.10) each on account of the death of J. H. McCullough, No. 102. This amount must be paid to J. T. Maloney, secretary, within ten days, by February 15th, or you will be suspended, when it will cost \$1.50 to become reinstated, and the approval of the Board of Directors. Last call showed, members 228, 1 dead. Present membership 227. W. T. JAMES, President; J. T. MALONEY, Secretary, Bryan Council Friend in Need Society.

SENATE PASSES HOUSE RECLAMATION BILL BY A VOTE OF 23 TO 7

(Austin Statesman)
AUSTIN, Jan. 31—By a vote of 23 to 7, the senate today passed finally the Rountree reclamation bill carrying appropriations of \$600,000 for topographic and hydrographic surveys and flood control work. The bill already has passed the House and now goes to the governor for approval. Two attempts to reduce the appropriations proposed under the measure failed. One amendment by Senator Floyd proposed reducing the annual appropriation for the state board of reclamation engineers from \$100,000 to \$50,000, and the other, by Senator Darwin, attempted to reduce the same amount to \$60,000. Both were lost by votes of 18 to 11. Final passage was on suspension of rules. The vote follows:

For: Bailey, Baugh, Bledsoe, Burkett, Bowers, Clark, Davis, Dudley, Doyle, Fairchild, Floyd, Holbrook, Lewis, Murphy, Parr, Pollard, Ridgeway, Rogers, Stuart, Turner, Watts, Wirtz. Against: Cousins, Darwin, McMillin, Rice, Strong, Wood, Thomas.

Considerable debate preceded final passage of the measure. Senator Holbrook of Galveston leading the debate in favor and Senators Darwin, Cousins and Floyd against. Senator Holbrook read a statement from State Reclamation Engineer Stiles which declared the \$600,000 appropriated under the measure is the minimum with which the reclamation and survey work can be carried on. A motion to recommit the bill to the finance committee before passage was lost. Under the bill the board of water engineers and reclamation department are directed to make topographic and hydrographic surveys of all stream watersheds in the state. The appropriations will not become available until September 1. The reclamation and flood control work will be carried on in conjunction with the federal geological survey.

The teachers' examinations for certificates will be held Friday and Saturday at the county superintendent's office at the court house. The notice to this effect only arrived from the state superintendent's office this morning.

If your head is dizzy on stooping or rising suddenly and everything turns black before the eyes, you have a torpid liver. Take Herbine. It is a powerful liver regulator. Price 60c. Sold by all druggists. (Advertisement)

AUSTIN ROTARIANS TO HEAR LEGISLATORS

(Austin American)
Judge J. W. Hassell will be program leader Wednesday for the Rotary meeting at Driskill hotel. The following speakers will take part on the program.

"Food for Thought on Our Austin Schools"—A. N. McCallum.
"Pepping Up for the Next District Convention"—J. W. Graham.
Selections from high school orchestra.
"Making the Wheels Move in Houston"—F. M. Cowen, former president of Houston Rotary club, member of legislature.

"How We Do It in Denton"—W. C. Edwards, Denton editor.
"Neither Too Dry Nor Too Wet"—Lee J. Rountree of Bryan, editor and member of legislature.

It is easy to get rid of the misery of heartburn or indigestion. Herbine goes right to the spot. It drives out the badly digested food and makes you feel fine. Price 60c. Sold by all Druggists. (Adv.)

MILTON-WILSON WEDDING

This evening at 8 o'clock, at the First Baptist church, Miss Lola Wilson and Mr. Hugh Meglone Milton, Jr., will be united in marriage. Dr. M. E. Weaver of Weatherford, former pastor of the Bryan Baptist church officiating. Mr. Hargrove of A. & M. College, will render a special musical program and Mrs. J. Webb Howell vocal selections preceding the ceremony. Misses Alma Kernole of Austin and Elizabeth Wilson as bridesmaids, Messrs. Bob Schafer and Thurman Munson of College, groomsmen. Little Miss Dorothy Hedges will serve as flower girl and Messrs. D. X. Bible, Stuart Wilson, Rhinehardt and Reynolds ushers.

SERIES OF SERMONS

Elder S. S. Smith of Independence, Mo., will give a series of gospel sermons at the hall on Bryan College road, near Union Hill, beginning tonight at 7:45 o'clock and continuing each night for the next two weeks. Mr. Smith represents the reorganized Church of Christ of Latter Day Saints and is in no way affiliated with the Utah Mormons.

Liquid Borzone is an efficient healing remedy for human or animal flesh. It mends a severe wound, sore, cut or scratch in the shortest possible time. Price 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Sold by all druggists. (Adv.)

Henry Koozt of Zack was greeting friends today on the streets of Bryan.

BRAZOS COUNTY BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB DEPARTMENT

Club Notes and Farm News by County Agent C. L. Beason

The Official Record, U. S. Department of Agriculture, January 17, gives the following interesting data relative to club activities in the United States, and all Brazos county people who read this should remember that in this wonderful work being done through the farm boys and girls the work during the past two years in Brazos county has stood out, not only as a winner in Texas but also as a pace setter for the country at large. Tabor club being champions for 1921 and Edge club for 1922: "Over 505,000 farm boys and girls, representing practically every agricultural county in the country, were enrolled in agricultural extension clubs in 1921. They raised or produced in their work 30,000 acres of corn, 2,000 acres of potatoes, 31,000 swine, 3,700 hives, 6,000 dairy animals, 566,000 chickens, 2,600,000 quarts of canned fruits, vegetables and meats, 347,000 articles of clothing, and 370,000 loaves of bread, as well as wheat, beans, sheep, garden and orchard products, and others totaling \$7,069,877 in value."

The Banker-Farmer, February, announces that D. H. Otis, formerly assistant dean of the Wisconsin College of Agriculture, now director of the banker-farmer exchange of the Wisconsin Bankers' Association, has been selected as director of the work of the Agricultural Commission of the American Bankers' Association. It is believed that Mr. Otis' splendid training and his wide experience as a business and professional man, together with the fact that he has been a practical and successful "dirt" farmer, eminently qualifies him for the new field of wide endeavor to which he will give his best thought and wisest counsel. It is stated that among his duties will be to "establish points of contact with the United States Department of Agriculture, colleges of agriculture, farmers' organizations, committees on agriculture of bankers' state associations, farm credit associations, business houses using farm products, farm credit associations, boys' and girls' club work, and with those who are working for better and more attractive farm homes."

The many reports coming in from farmers who have been terracing indicate that the work has, in most instances, already paid for the expense incurred in putting up the terraces in conserving moisture and in preventing, or checking, soil erosion. Charlie Locke's terraces on the Cobb place near Zack, stood the test and have, evidently already paid for the construction, or building. The drainage work done on J. L. Sample's farm near Tabor has already proved inestimable. Good report comes from Joe Corrobbio and Jack Shimen, two prosperous farmers of the Prospect community, who have been doing some fine terracing. Ed Chytil, whose farm in the Edge community was almost ruined by the heavy rains last year, reports that not a single break occurred in all his terraces recently built. This is remarkable for newly built terraces having but little time to settle. Only two breaks are reported by G. W. Buchanan of Zack, who located his terrace lines with a homemade farm level, and these breaks occurred where terraces had not been opened at ends. Frank Patronella, R. L. Jones, John Figgaro, and J. M. Conway, all of Route 6, have been doing some splendid work in terracing. Mr. Conway can show the most skeptical that terracing is the only salvation for a hillside cut to pieces by ugly gullies. Great ditches that, a year ago, would have hidden an automobile, will soon disappear and the ugly places will be producing profitable crops. It is a wonderful work the farmers of Brazos county have taken up. The Chamber of Commerce never spent a better dollar in the interest of a better agriculture than when it purchased a Martin ditcher to be used for demonstration purposes in Brazos county. The fertility of the soil must first be looked after before the most profitable farming can be expected.

Now is the time to start the campaign to eliminate gophers, or salamanders, as they are commonly called. There are many effective poisons, but strychnine and soda sprinkled on sweet potatoes cut into small cubes will do the work, if properly placed in the runs. Most farmers know how to find the runs near the mounds made by the salamander. A teaspoonful of strychnine and as much soda mixed with it will be enough poison to sprinkle on a gallon of chipped up sweet potatoes, cubes to be about half inch square.

Most farms of Brazos county now have all, or part, of their flocks standardbred poultry, and if the progress being made continues it will not be long till the county will be one of the great poultry centers. No one will now dare predict what a wonderful poultry industry we may have within the next five years. Three years ago there was scarcely a standardbred flock between Bryan and College, while it is now estimated that there are 5,000 to 10,000 standardbred chickens, and the rest of the county has made almost as much progress. Miss Mary Locke, one of the wide-awake community leaders of the county, and who is always thinking in terms of progress and better days, thinks we should begin now to plan our poultry campaign so the farmers and others may work to the end that their flocks may become accredited flocks. This is a splendid idea and is not only worthy of your consideration, but should enlist the hearty co-operation

of every one interested in the success of the enterprise, both from the standpoint of the individual and the county as a whole. With the industry growing as the poultry industry is now, an organization beginning its work now could not hope to do more than be ready to look after the welfare of the poultry raisers within the next year or two. Going single-handed and alone will mean that the whole thing will go upon the rocks in the course of time, and that not a long time at the present rate of poultry increase in the county. Everybody raising a standard bred chicken, whether it be a Bantam or a Cochon, should join, heart and hand, President Will Jones of the poultry association in an endeavor to build up a business that will soon be worth annually one million dollars to Brazos county. We have made a wonderful start. Let us not impede the progress through lack of co-operation. The Poultry Association meets the first Monday night in each month.

W. N. Wilson of Tabor is becoming widely known as a turkey raiser. A year or so ago he put an ad in some of the farm papers, and not only sold all his turkeys, but had to return more than \$800, orders which he could not fill. Mr. Wilson makes the report that this year he gave one of the farm papers an ad to run for two weeks, and before he saw the ad in print all his turkeys were sold, and now more good money must be returned for lack of more fine turkeys.

The boys' and girls' club meeting scheduled for Kurten last Saturday night was postponed on account of conflict with preaching service at one of the churches. The Kurten boys and girls are "rearing" to go, and with the help of Rev. J. J. Kaskiske and E. C. Martin, club leaders, we predict some fine work for the Kurten club this year.

On last Thursday County Agent C. L. Beason and Home Demonstration Agent Miss Laura Belle Roten met with the Smetana club to give out record books and offer suggestions for the year's work. Smetana will again have a large club, and it is expected the record will be among the best in the county.

What has become of that ten-year budget and plan to encourage agriculture in Brazos county, and on account of the announcement of which we received so much favorable comment and praise as a far-sighted and progressive people? Brazos county is essentially a farming country and therefore, the real prosperity of Bryan is in proportion to that which prevails among the farms of this county, the location of the A. & M. College being as a mere sauce to pudding. Hence the importance of lending all encouragement possible to that which will make for better conditions on the farm.

George A. Adams, president of the George A. Adams Insurance Company, Bryan, says he awoke a few nights ago to find that he had been mad, in his dreams, at the county agent for not terracing his land. The county agent wants nobody angry with him, but if people are becoming so interested in the matter of terracing their farm lands that they will dream of the matter, and even get vexed, in their dreams, because the county agent cannot reach them all at once, after all it only means better days for farming.

S. I. DUNN FORMER BRYAN CITIZEN NOMINATED POSTMASTER PORT ARTHUR

Simpson I. Dunn, former Allen Academy student and brother-in-law of W. B. Roman, was Saturday nominated as Post Arthur's new postmaster, which will be good news to his many friends in Bryan. He probably will make bond and take the office within two weeks. Mr. Dunn has been a resident of Port Arthur for the past fourteen years and has been in the employ of the Texas Company. Mr. Washburn, the outgoing postmaster, when informed of Mr. Dunn's appointment, said he was not surprised, as in the examinations Mr. Dunn ranked ten points higher than his nearest opponent. "He is a good man and will make Port Arthur a good postmaster," he continued.

Merchants, why not advertise? in old Brazos. ***

Miss Ray Wilcox, with the assistance of the county and home demonstration agents, took the club members of Knob Prairie school, of which she is the efficient and enthusiastic teacher, on a trip last Saturday to the A. & M. College, visiting the Feeding and Breeding Station, the Experiment Farm, the Poultry Farm, the Zoo, and other places of interest on the campus. It is said that some boy or girl, we have not yet been able to learn which, cried out at the sight of the ostrich, "Gee, what a big chicken." It is hoped that all club members may be taken on similar excursions to the College in the near future, and then in the springtime we hope to have a great union club meeting at College, where we can spend the day in profit and play. Do you want to make this trip, boys and girls?

Prof. P. S. Mangum, principal of the Edge school, and club leader of the Edge Blue Ribbon "10," announces a box supper at Edge Saturday night, and that the Allen Academy band will "pep up" the occasion with some fine music. Let's all go.

We hear that the Wellborn people will again put on the "Hoo Doo Coon" at Wellborn Friday night. The play is becoming quite popular, and it speaks well for the promoters to be asked to give at home again.

Community centers are springing up all over the county and in order to render the most assistance possible a meeting of all community leaders is called for next Saturday, 2 p. m., at Chamber of Commerce, to outline program of work and to arrange meeting dates so they will not conflict one with another. Be sure that your community is represented.

ROUNTREE INTRODUCED REFORESTATION BILL

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 31.—A bill for the reforestation of Texas was introduced in the house this afternoon by Representative Rountree of Brazos by request. The measure, which Mr. Rountree says carries out the plans of the Texas Forestry Association carries an appropriation of \$100,000 for the purchase of necessary experimental lands for demonstration purposes.

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Ed Dowling of Millican was a visitor here today.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Tucker of Navasota spent Sunday with Mrs. L. H. Tucker.

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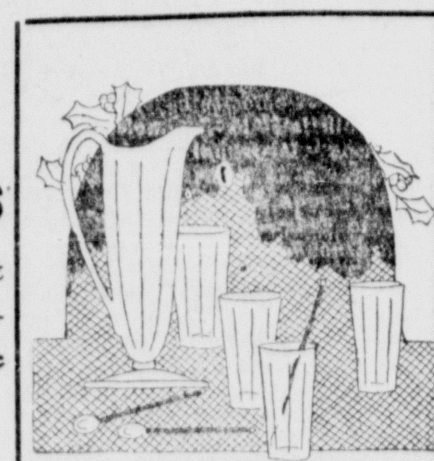
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